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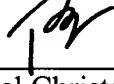|	(Col. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(Col. 2) HIGHEST NO. PRE- VIOUSLY PAID FOR	(Col. 3) PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY			OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
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